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# Fine-mapping of 150 breast cancer risk regions identifies 191 likely target genes

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## **Fine-mapping of 150 breast cancer risk regions identifies 191 likely target genes**

### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

#### **Supplementary Excel Table guide, supplied as individual files**

**Supplementary Table 1.** Breast cancer risk regions identified through genome-wide association studies.

(a) Definition of fine-mapping regions based on previous results. 179 variants across 152 genomic regions. Variants located less than 500kb away from each other were included in the same region. (b) Imputation quality metrics across the 152 fine-mapping regions.

**Supplementary Table 2.** Breast cancer risk signals and credible candidate variants (CCVs).

(a) Multinomial Logistic Regression models. (b) Strong signals (BCAC and CIMBA) multinomial logistic regression models. (c) Candidate causal variants and high posterior probability variants.

Multinomial logistic regression summary statistics  $\chi^2$  p-value, estimated using 67,136 ER-positive and 17,506 ER-negative cases, together with 88,937 controls

**Supplementary Table 3.** Bio-features enrichment.

Logistic regression robust variance estimation for clustered observations, Wald test  $\chi^2$  p-values estimated using 67,136 ER-positive and 17,506 ER-negative cases, together with 88,937 controls.

**Supplementary Table 4.** Consensus transcription factor binding motif enrichment.

(a) Transcription Factor consensus binding motif enrichment analysis. (b) Transcription Factor enrichment at MCF-7 H3K4me1 regions. (c) ER-positive CCVs overlap with transcription factor binding motifs significantly enriched

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**Supplementary Table 5.** Coding, splicing CCVs and overlap of CCVs with variant drivers of local gene expression.

(a) CCVs collocating with eQTL variants in normal breast tissue. (b) CCVs collocating with eQTL variants in breast tumor tissue. (c) CCVs coding annotation. (d) CCVs predicted to affect splicing

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**Supplementary Table 6.** (a) 191 Level 1 predicted target genes. (b) Regions in which target genes are predicted with high confidence

**Supplementary Table 7.** INQUISIT results for coding/splicing variants.

**Supplementary Table 8.** INQUISIT results for promoter variants.

**Supplementary Table 9.** INQUISIT results for distal variants.

**Supplementary Table 10.** Pathways significantly enriched in CCV and high posterior probability predicted target genes.

Hypergeometric test p-value. P-values adjusted using Benjamini-Hochberg procedure

**Supplementary Table 11.** BCAC studies ethical agreements

**Supplementary Table 12.** CIMBA studies ethical agreements

## Supplementary Figures

### Supplementary Figure 1. Bio-features enrichment

(a) Intersection between CCVs and known bio-features. (b) ENCODE enhancer-like and promoter-like enrichment. ENCODE enhancer-like regions, top, ENCODE promoter like tissues, bottom. Each bar shows the overlap p-value for each subset of CCVs (Strong, ER-positive, ER-negative and ER-neutral) with regulatory regions defined by ENCODE at 73 tissues, primary cells, immortalized cell line, and in vitro differentiated cells (from most significant, dark red, to less significant, blue; grey bars indicate regions where there is <5 CCVs overlapping the region)

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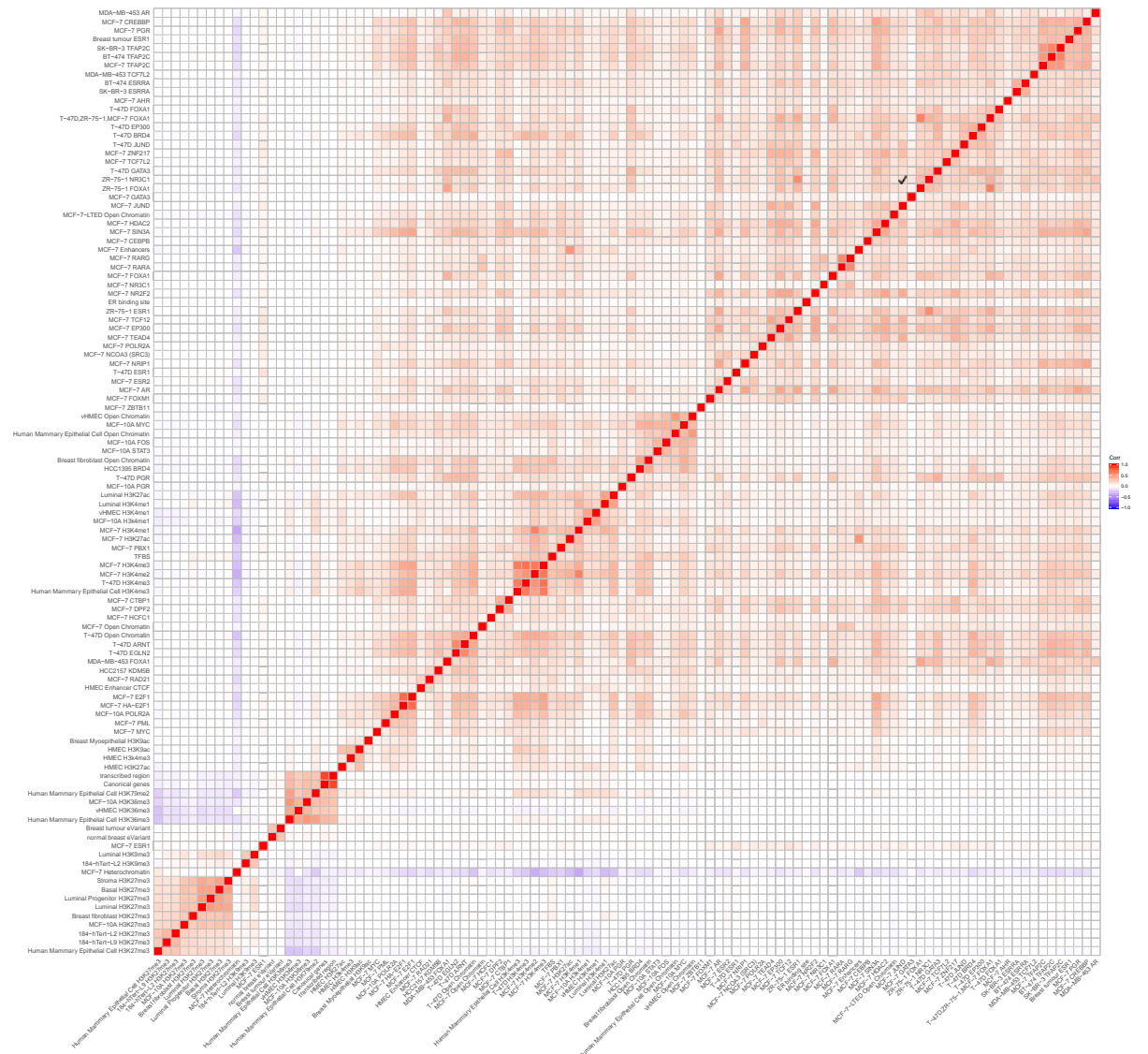






## Supplementary Figure 2. Correlation between variants overlapping significantly enriched bio-features

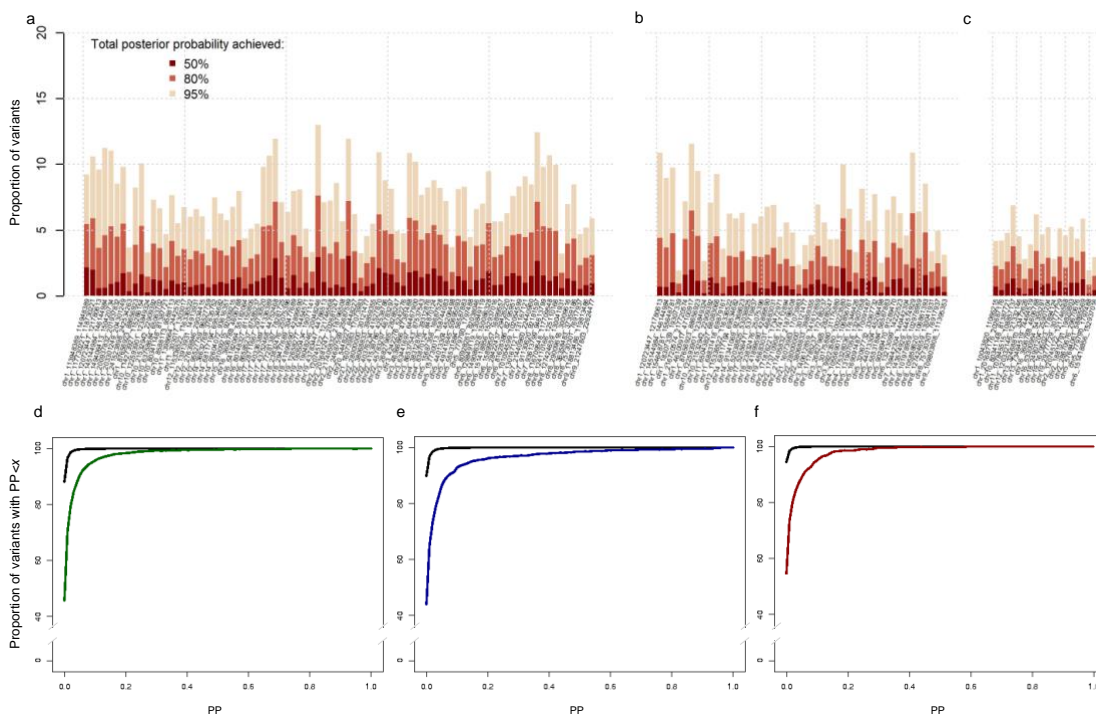
Ranges of Correlation Coefficient values (Pearson's  $r$ ) estimated using 639,118 variants overlapping enriched biofeatures are denoted by colours as shown in the key labelled: Coeff.



### Supplementary Figure 3. Bayesian fine mapping

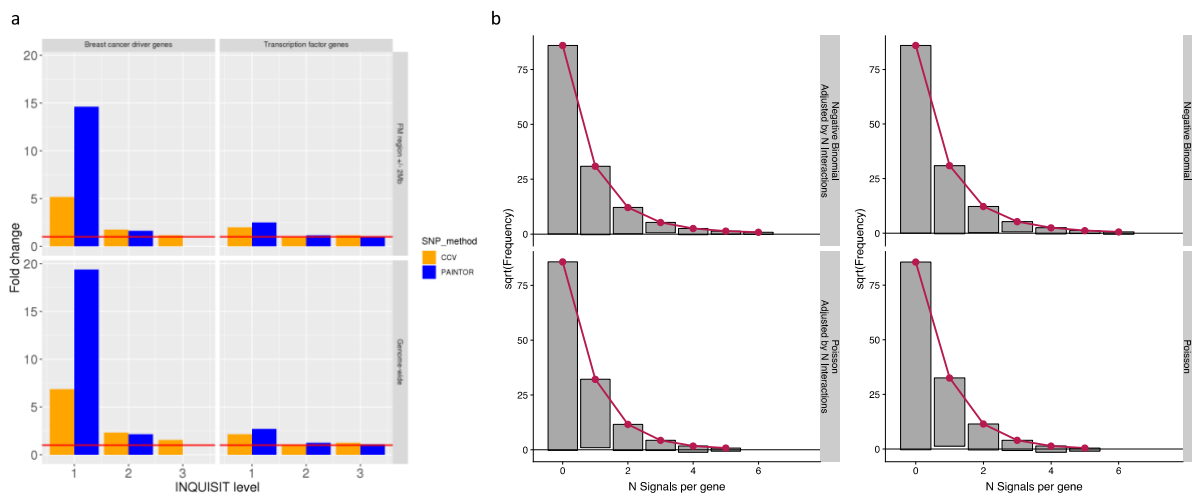
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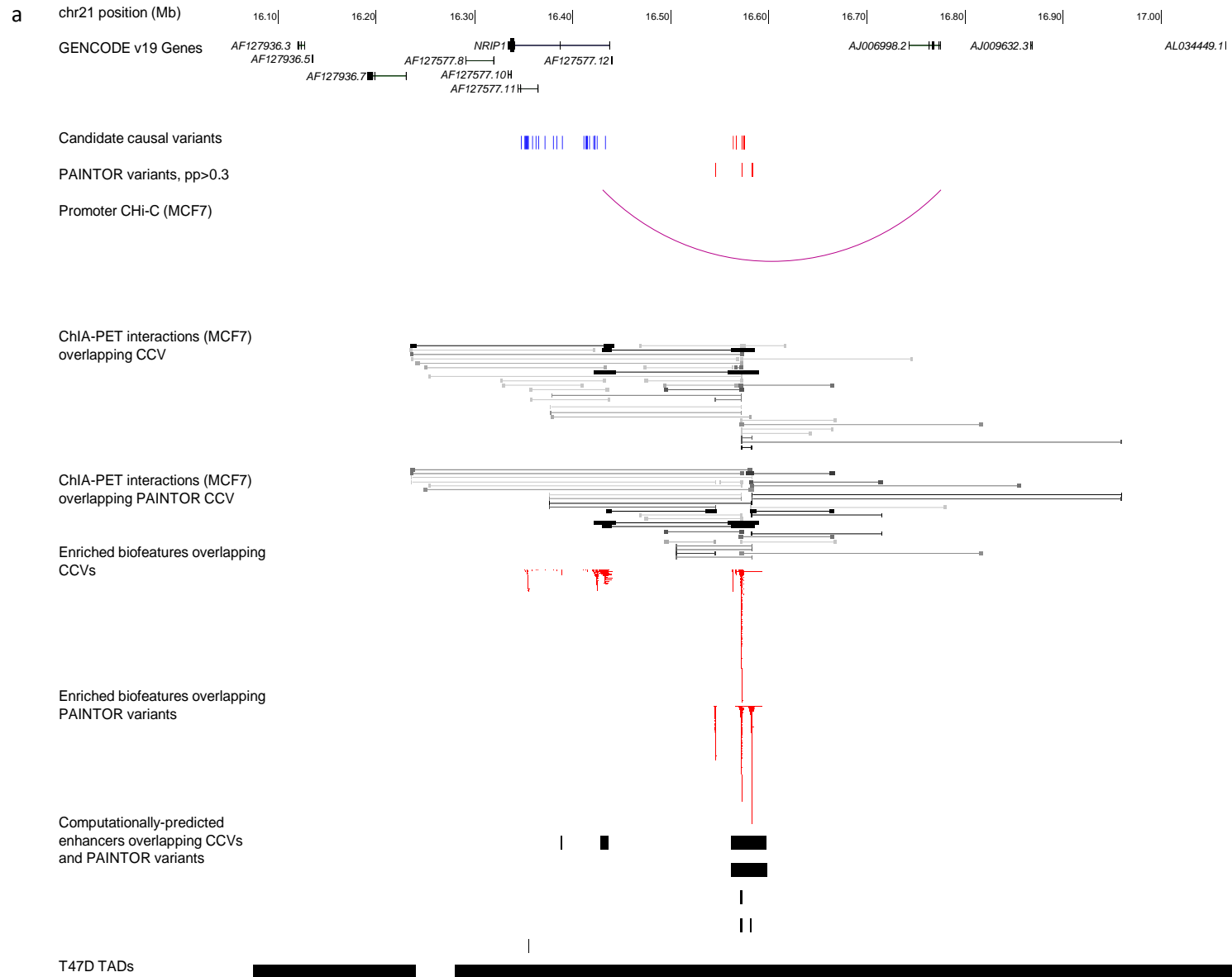
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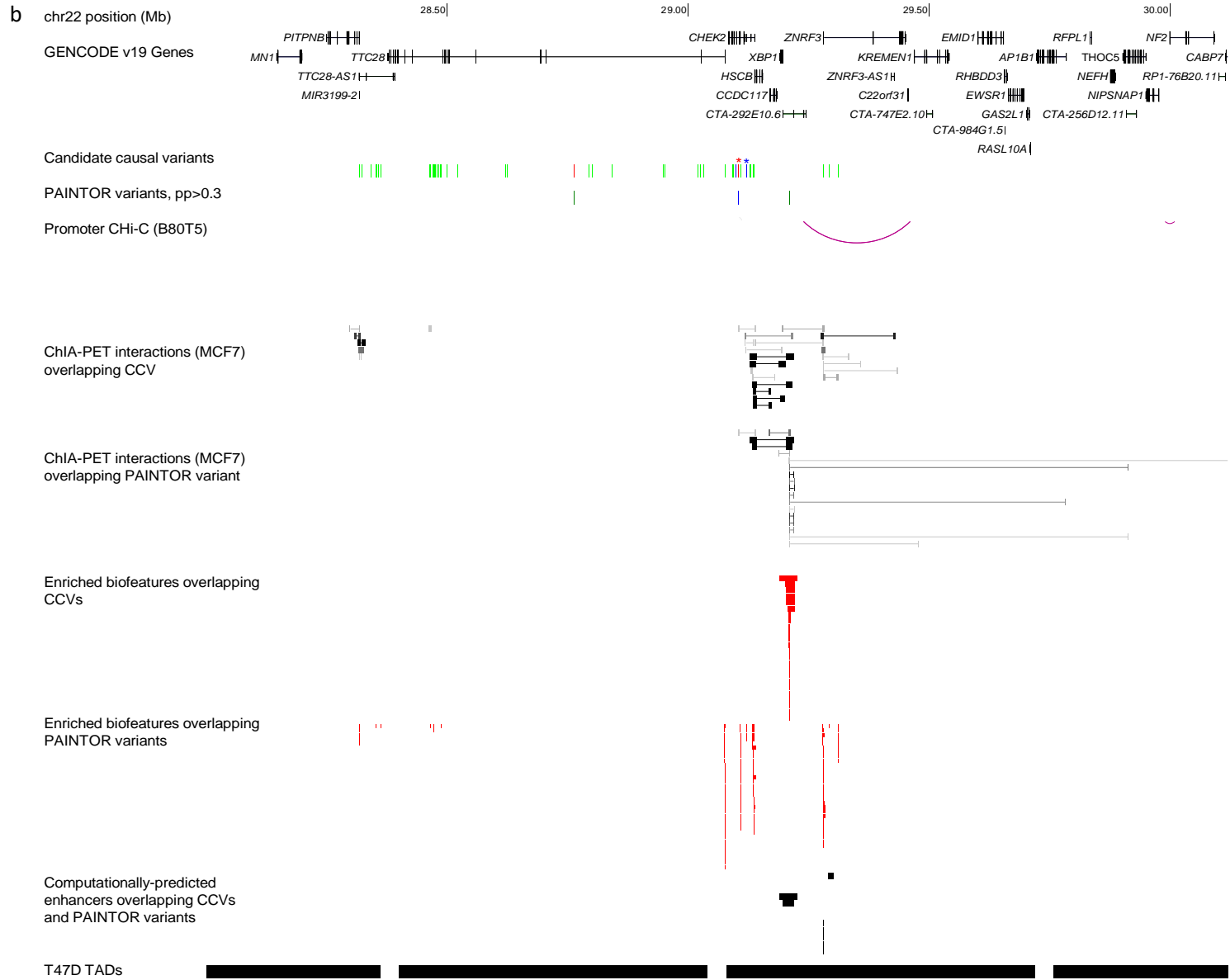
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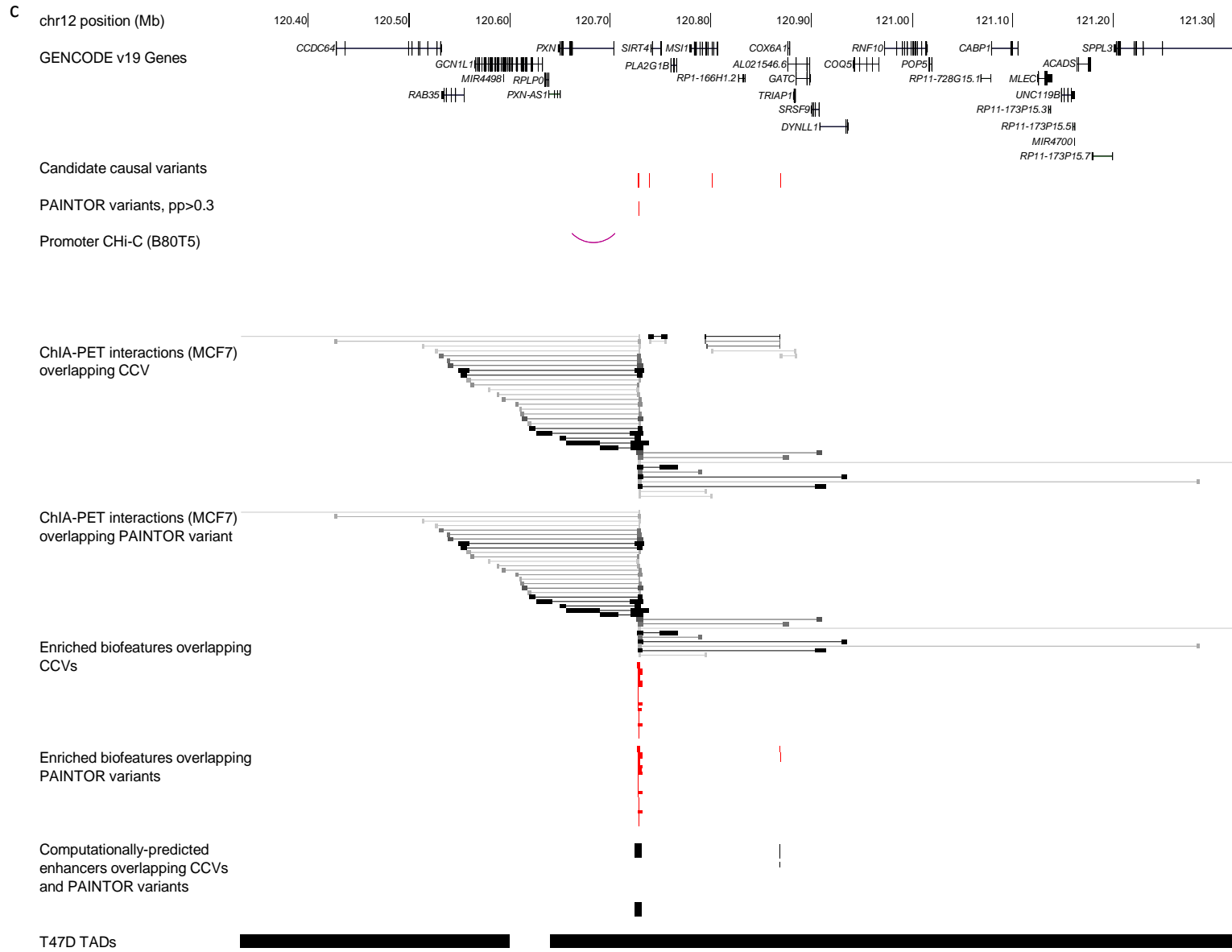
**Supplementary Figure 5. Examples of INQUISIT using genomic features to identify predict target genes.**

In each panel, CCVs and PAINTOR variants with posterior probability >0.3 are shown, with independent signals in different colors. Chromatin interactions are shown as arcs (Capture Hi-C from selected breast cell lines) or boxes connected by lines, colored with gray-scale according to interaction score (ENCODE ChIA-PET). Biofeatures which overlap CCVs from the global genomic enrichment analysis are depicted as red boxes. Computationally predicted enhancers including PreSTIGE, FANTOM5 and super-enhancers which overlap risk variants are represented by black boxes. High confidence INQUISIT target gene predictions include *NRIP1* (b), *CHEK2* and *XBP1* (c), and *RPLP0* and *MSI1* (d)





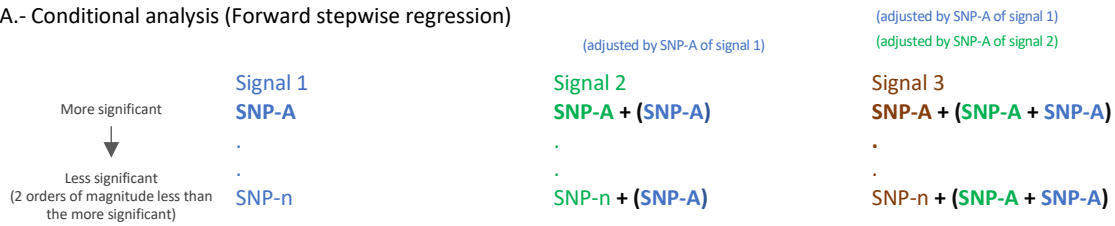




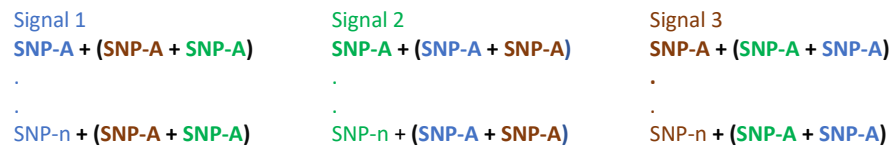
## Supplementary Figure 6. Selection of a set of credible causal variants

Scheme of the forward stepwise procedure to define a set of credible causal variants

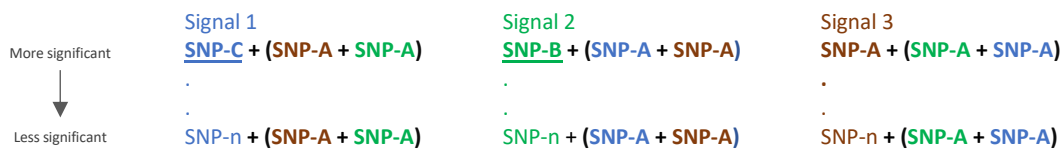
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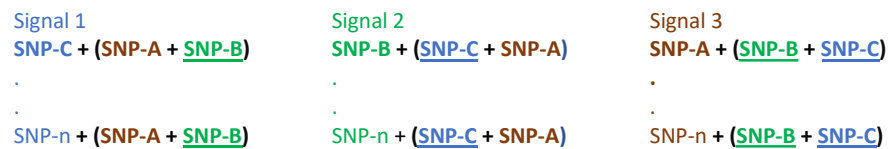
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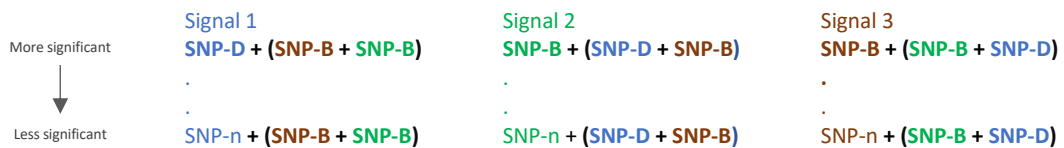
C.- Sort variants by p-value:



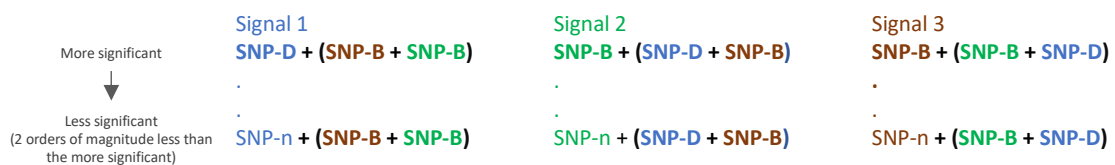
D.- Now we have a new more significant variant at signal 1 (SNP-C) and Signal 2 (SNP-B), adjust by these new index variants



E.- Repeat steps C&D until the until the index variants do not change further – optimal model SNP-D + SNP-B + SNP-B



F.- Redefine the credible set with the conditional values from the final model



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